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Serial No.: 10/542,987  
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Art Unit: N/A  
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**Cover Letter Regarding Petition for Request to Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address**

Commissioner of Patents  
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir/Madam:

Please find enclosed Form SB83, Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address, in triplicate. Due to a breakdown in communication and Client/Applicant conduct resulting in an antagonistic relationship rendering it unreasonably difficult for the lawyer to carry out effective employment, we are now Petitioning for Withdrawal in the pending patent application.

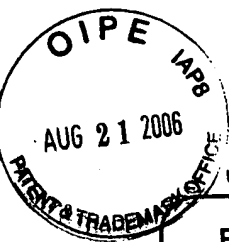
Applicant was notified by certified letter on 8/11/06 and emailed on 8/8/06 of our intention to withdraw and has not responded. There are no outstanding actions due in the pending patent application. Withdrawal can be accomplished without prejudice and material adverse effect on the interests of the applicant. Approval of our enclosed Petition for Withdrawal is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure(s): Form SB83, Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address, in triplicate; and Form SB21, Transmittal Form.



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**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL  
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**To: Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Please withdraw me as attorney or agent for the above identified patent application, and

- ☐ all the attorneys/agents of record.
- ☐ the attorneys/agents (with registration numbers) listed on the attached paper(s), or
- ☒ the attorneys/agents associated with Customer Number 37,476

**NOTE:** This box can only be checked when the power of attorney of record in the application is to all the practitioners associated with a customer number.

The reasons for this request are: breakdown in communication and conduct resulting in an antagonistic relationship rendering it unreasonably difficult for the lawyer to carry out effective employment. Applicant was notified by certified letter on 8/11/06 and email on 8/8/06 of intention to withdraw and there are no outstanding actions. Withdrawal can be accomplished without material adverse effect on the interests of the applicant.

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**ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)**

Fee Transmittal Form



Fee Attached



Amendment/Reply



After Final



Affidavits/declaration(s)



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Signature

Printed name

Matthew T. Welker, Esq.

Date

19 August 2006

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